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SUBJ: INVITATION TO TENDER: AL-AIN AND ABU DHABI HOSPITALS

1. ABU DHABI DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS HAS ISSUED INVITATION TO TENDER FOR TWO CONSTRUCTION OF TWO LARGE MAJOR HOSPITALS. TEXT OF INVITATION FOLLOWS:
QUOTE: THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OF ABU DHABI INVITES INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS TO INDICATE THEIR INTEREST IN BEING PREQUALIFIED TO BID ON THE FOLLOWING:

A. A 500 BED MAJOR HOSPITAL COMPLEX TO BE BUILT IN ABU DHABI, COMPLETE WITH ALL THE FACILITIES FOR IMPATIENTS AND OUT-PATIENTS CARE AND ALL NECESSARY SUPPORT FACILITIES. ALSO INCLUDED ARE HOUSING ACCOMODATION FOR 600 NURSES AND DOCTORS AS WELL AS COMMUNITY BUILDINGS, COMPLETE WITH ALL EXTERNAL WORKS.

B. A 250 BED MAJOR HOSPITAL COMPLEX TO BE BUILT IN AL-AIN COMPLETE WITH ALL FACILITIES AS MENTIONED ABOVE EXCEPT THAT HOUSING ACCOMODATION WILL BE FOR 300 NURSES AND DOCTORS.

2. QUOTE: TWO SEPARATE TENDERS WILL BE INVITED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF ABU DHABI AND EACH MAY BE BID SEPARATELY OR COMBINED.

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3. QUOTE: A FIVE PER CENT BID BOND OF THE TENDER AMOUNT

WILL BE REQUIRED AT THE TIME OF BIDDING.

4. QUOTE: TENDER DOCUMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM FEBRUARY 15, 1975 AND THE TENDER PRICES ARE DHS 5,600.00 FOR ABU DHABI AND DHS. 4,600.00 FOR AL-AIN. (ONE U.S. DOLLAR EQUALS APPROXIMATELY DHS. 4.00 U.A.E.)

5. QUOTE: FOR A PREQUALIFICATION QUESTIONNAIRE AND MORE DETAILS ABOUT THE PROJECTS PLEASE REPLY TO:

THE ARCHITECTS COLLABORATIVE INTERNATIONAL
46 BRATTLE STREET
CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02138
U.S.A.
TELEX: 921494 A/B TAC CAM

6. QUOTE: QUESTIONNAIRE MUST BE RETURNED TO THE SAME ADDRESS BY JANUARY 31, 1975.

7. COMMENT: THIS IS ONE OF LARGEST CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS TO BE UNDERTAKEN IN UAE. CONSULTANT'S EARLIER ESTIMATE OF PROJECT COST WAS 350 MILLION DIRHAMS, BUT PRESENT ESTIMATES PUT COST AT 650 OR 700 MILLION. DELAY IN ISSUING TENDER INVITATION RESULTED IN SHORT TIME AVAILABLE FOR PREQUALIFICATION, SO INTERESTED FIRMS SHOULD COMMUNICATE THEIR INTEREST AND QUALIFICATIONS DIRECTLY TO TAC AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
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